

STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING
UNITED STATES ARMY POLICY ON SURE-PAY FOR ACTIVE ARMY OFFICERS AND ARNG AND USAR
OFFICERS AND ENLISTED PERSONNEL ON ACTIVE DUTY OR AGR & PAID THROUGH JUMPS-ARMY

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(TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL ACTIVE ARMY COMMISSIONED AND WARRANT OFFICERS AND ARNG AND USAR OFFICERS AND ENLISTED SOLDIERS ON ACTIVE DUTY OR AGR AND PAID THROUGH JUMPS-ARMY)

1. I hereby acknowledge and agree that I have the responsibility, as explained below, to establish and maintain an account with a United States financial institution (such as a bank, savings and loan or credit union) for the direct deposit of my Army net pay and allowances.
2. I am:
 - a. A commissioned or warrant officer entering active duty in the Active Army, or
 - b. An ARNG or USAR officer or enlisted soldier ordered to active duty or full-time duty in the Active Guard/Reserve (AGR) and paid through JUMPS-Army.
3. I understand that within three months of entry on active duty or full-time ARNG or USAR duty, or arrival at my first permanent duty station, whichever is later, I am required to do the following:
 - a. Establish an account with a U.S. financial institution for direct deposit of my Army net pay and allowances, as elected by me, and
 - b. Execute the appropriate forms at my finance or administrative support office to ensure that my Army net pay and allowances are deposited directly into this account.
4. I understand I may freely choose or change U.S. financial institutions to satisfy this requirement.
5. I understand that I will continue to have the responsibility to maintain such an account for deposit receipt of my Army net pay and allowances so long as I remain on active duty, unless I receive a specific exemption from this requirement from the Army.
6. I understand that failure to perform the duty of establishing and maintaining such an account, in the absence of a specific exemption, may subject me to administrative and/or disciplinary action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice or the State military code, as applicable.

AUTHENTICATION

PRINTED NAME OF SOLDIER

SIGNATURE OF SOLDIER

DATE

PRINTED NAME AND GRADE OF WITNESS

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

DATE